

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of: Raphel *et al.*

Application number: 09/912,401

Filed: July 26, 2001

For: *SYSTEM, METHOD AND COMPUTER PROGRAM TO  
MAXIMIZE SERVER THROUGHPUT WHILE AVOIDING  
SERVER OVERLOAD BY CONTROLLING THE RATE OF  
ESTABLISHING SERVER-SIDE NETWORK  
CONNECTIONS*

Attorney Docket No.: 2006579-0455 (CTX-171RCE)

Art Unit: 2153

Examiner: Aaron Strange

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This Response is filed responsive to the non-Final Office Action dated October 11, 2006.

In view of the comments set forth below, Applicants respectfully urge reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.